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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated March 26, 2003, wherein the Examiner set a three-month period for response, this response is timely. Please amend as follows.

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend the title to read ---METHOD FOR IDENTIFYING NON-GENETIC BASED PROTEIN DISEASE MARKERS---

Please amend page 39, first partial paragraph as follows.

---Number 643,675 filed August 24, 2000, now U.S. Patent 6,301,377 and the "IMPRESS" method of U.S. Serial Number 09/653,363 filed August 31, 2000, now U.S. Patent 6,404,905, Attorney Docket Number 40732. The data regarding the protein spots identified is given in the Tables above and Figures---

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